

No. 6522				PRICE \$21 PER MONTH.
October 24 Swinger. British cun-vessel. T. I. F. beg to inform all the Shipmasters and	BANKS. AUCTIONS NTAL BANK CORPORATION. PUBLIC AUCTION. RPOBATED DY ROYAL CHARTER). AT MACAO.	TION. SAYLE AND CO., having received their FIRST DELIVERY OF GOODS	INTIMATIONS. LUSITANO THEATRE. M. R. M. A. R. C. O. V. I. T. Z. has the honour to announce that he will	INTIMATIONS. THEATRE ROYAL.
Lieutenant-Commander O. P. Tudor, VV the Public in general that both BOB R.N. Foochow 22nd October and JACK; our late Pilots, have left our em- Cotober 25, Rightman, British bark, 718, ployment, and we do not hold ourselves RE At 3 h	OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON the 26th day of October, 1878, Sold by Public Anction, at the and 31, Rus do Campo, the Months' Notice, 3%, per Annua. Ionths' Notice, 4%, per Annua. TOURS TOURS TOURS TO C. K I. N	at Noon, will be AUTUMN SEASON, Promises, Nos. 29 Selicit an Inspection of the following — Remaining RICH BLACK GROSGRAIN SILKS.	Expense for the first time at the LUSITANO THEATRE, ON MON-DAYEVENING,	CITY HAEL, HONGKONG. THIS (SATURDAY) EVENING, OCTOBER 26TH, 1878,
Hongkong, 17th May, 1878. I 6m880 At 12 b CLEARANCES AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE. Oriental 1	IONTHS' NOTICE, 5 %, PEF ANNUM. D. A. J. COLLACO'S MILLI Acting Manager. Bank Corporation. OF THE LATE Comprising: SHELVES, S WINTER CLOTHING,	NERY STORE; COLOURED GRÖSGRAIN and FANCY STLKS.	28th October, 1878, in his MARVELLOUS PERFORMANCE OF LEGERDEMAIN.	OPERA BOUFFE COMPANY will repeat (by Special Request) PLOTOW'S CHARMING COMIC OPERA
Faugh-a-Balaugh, Ger. bark, for Quinhon. the Undersigned, Mr. REGINALD DIGBY Antenor, British steamer, for Shanghai. STARKEY is authorized to act as AGENT Furgew, Chinese steamer, for Shanghai. for the Company in Hongkong. Ningpo, British steamer, for Shanghai. J. KENNARD DAVIS, PAID U	GKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. CAPITAL5,000,000 of Dollars. [1144] GLASSWARE, &c., &c. If all the Arlicles are not so Sale will be continued on follow TERMS.—Cash before deliver	TRIMMING SILKS and SATINS, y in Bank Notes. ALE. A SPLENDID ASSORTMENT OF	Doors open at 8.30, Performance to commence at 9 P.M. punctually. Hongkong, 26th Ostober, 1878.	"M A R T H A; OR, RICHMOND FAIR IN THE DAYS OF QUEEN ANNE."
October 25, Conquest, British steamer, for Hollow. Hollow. Hollow. Hongkong, 15th Cowder, 1878 NOTICE. CHE INTEREST and Responsibility of Mr. Deputy	我们的Track (1997),我们Addamir Trind,上的BC,这个人大学,并且一个人的专家,又是有一个人的专家是是是是是一个工具的	Public Auction, "REAL SNOWFLAKE," Mr. John Jack, WOOL POPLINS,	CRAWFORD & CO. BEALE, EX LATE ARRIVALS:	MISS ELCIA MAY AS MARTHA. CAST-OF CHARACTERS: MARTHA MISS ELCIA MAY.
October 25, Chira, Gordan Str., 157 Citaton. October 25, Fu-yew, Chinese steamer, for March last. Shanghai. October 25, Antenor, British steamer, for Shanghai, October 10th, 1878. H. L. Dair March last. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Shanghai, October 10th, 1878. Hon	ymple, Esq. W. S. Young, Esq. the 28th October, 1878, at 2 whole of the Chief Manager. Chief Manager. gkong Thomas Jackson, Esq., comprising Damask covered	o'clock P.M., the FRENCH MERINOS. DIAGONAL REPS. NITURE, CHAIRS and BLACK and COLOURED SILK VELVETS	BASE'S DRAUGHT ALE, in splendid condition. PARTAGA'S HAVANA CIGARS.	Nanoy Miss Clara Stanley. Liponel Mr. H. Vernon. Plunkett Mr. Phillips. Lord Mayor Mr. Prescott. Sir Tristram Mr. J. Rollings.
October 25, Ninero, British steamer, for Shanghai. October 25, Juliane, German 3-m. sch., for Guam. WE beg to notify that we have commenced London Business as MERCHANTS and GE- NERAL COMMISSION AGENTS under the On-Commenced London	NGRONG—INTEREST ALLOWED. ELECTRO-PLATED WAI	CARVED SIDE- LE, CHAIRS VARIOUS WASHING FABRICS, LE, GLASS and suitable for Autumn West.	LADIES' GARDENING TOOLS, ELECTRO-PLATED READING LAMPS. MARK TWAIN'S SCRAP BOOK. NOVELTIES in MEERSCHAUM PIPES	Musical Director Mr. F. PANIZZA. The Operas are produced nuder the Sole direction of Mr. H. Vernon.
PASSENCERS. WILLIAM EDWARD HENRY DUNN. 2 per cent on Fix Armived: Per Rifleman, from Chefoo :- Hongkong, October 1st, 1878. [1m1638] NOTICE NOTICE Per cent on Fix Properties of Chefoo :- For NOTICE. Something the control of the control of the cent of the	t. per Annum on the daily balance. TOILET TABLES, CHEST CARPETS, WASHSTAND CARPETS, WASHSTAND Handsomely Carved Bombay STEAD, Holse-HAIR MA	JACKETS, SKIRTS. and SERVICE, Blackwood BED- FTRESSES and UNDERCLOTHING, BABY LINEN.	SWIMMING BELTS & AIR CUSHIONS.	Tickets to be had and Seats secured at Messrs. KRUSE & Co.'s, where a Plan of the Theatro may be seen.
Per Ningpo, str., for Shanghal— Captain Roberts, Messrs. Grobion and Hop- in our Firm from 2nd February, 1878 TACK-MEE HOP KEE HONG DRAFT	rs granted on approved Securities, and scription of Banking and Exchange CHAIRS, FLOWER POTS transacted. Securities and CHAIRS, FLOWER POTS transacted. Catalogues will be issued, and the chief will be on view from SATURD.	nd the Furniture CHILDREN'S COSTUMES, PELISSES, and FROCKS.	WINTER SOCKS and UNDERSHIRTS,	PRICES OF ADMISSION: Dress Circle or Crohestra TWO, DOLLARS. Stalls ONE DOLLAR.
The British bark Rifteman reports left Chefoo Hongkong 30th September, 1878. America, on 13th October, and had light winds and fine weather. Offices of North Responsibility of the Chefoo Hongkong 30th September, 1878. America, North Responsibility of the Chefoo Hongkong 30th September, 1878. America, North Responsibility of the Chefoo Hongkong 30th September, 1878. America, North Responsibility of the Chefoo Hongkong 30th September, 1878. America, North Responsibility of the Chefoo Hongkong 30th September, 1878. America, North Responsibility of the Chefoo Hongkong 30th September, 1878.	China and Japan T. JACKSON, Chief Manager. The Corporation, O. 1, Queen's Road East, Hongkong, 16th August, 1878. Will be on view from SATURD. TERMS OF SALE.—Cash Mexican Dollars weighed at with all faults and errors of declaration. Hongkong, 16th August, 1878. Hongkong, 18th Cotober, 18	oefore delivery in 7.1.7. All Lots, INFANTS' CASHMERE HOODS, escription; at Pur- hommor. BONNETS, and HATS.	Edition. KEILLER'S DUNDEE MARMALADE.	Ladies unaccompanied by Gentlemen cannot be admitted. Hongkong, 25th October, 1878. [1738] AUSTRALASIAN STEAM NAVIGATION
and fresh monsoon. TACK MEE HOP KEE HONG The German steamship China reports left Nos. 9 and 11, Bonham Strand West.	CHARTERED MERCANTILE PUBLIC AUGI	Co. have been in FEATHERS, FLOWERS, LACES, and ublic Auction, at LACE GOODS.		FOR PORT DARWIN. COOKPOWN, SYDNEY, AND MELHOURNE, Taking Cargo and Passengers for all Austra- LASIAN and NEW ZEALAND PORTS, TASMANIA,
erly winds and thick weather to Tung-ying; from thence fresh N.E. monsoon and fine weather to port. CAPITAL Undersigned, having become LESSEE RESER of the "Hongkong Daily Press" and	TUESDAY AL. £750,000. VED FUND £151,560 10s. 0d. BANKERS. TUESDAY the 29th October, 1878, at 1 the	The NEW HACKLE and other FEATHER TRIMMINGS. A LARGE AND VARIED STOCK OF	SPECIAL BLEND SCOTCH WHISKY. SADDLERY. SCARVES and TIES, Newest Patterns. GRAMMARS and SCHOOL BOOKS.	NEW CALEDONIA, and FIJI. THE Chartered Steamship "CHARLTON," Captain Johnson, will be despatched as above on
October— ARRIVALS: 11. Ulysses, British steamer, from Hongkong. 12. Ho Soon Guan, Dutch bark, from Rhio. 12. Asie Mineure, French bark, from Bangkok. 13. Asie Mineure, French bark, from Bangkok. 14. CHATTERTON WILCOX. BATES CHATTERTON WILCOX. BATES	OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON GINE (New BOILER TEXTS DEPOSITS. SPEEL, ANCHORS, a TRANSCHORS,	OTMAN'S PATENT KID GLOVES will be OPENED SHORTLY. UBES. RIVETS, SCALES, IRON FELT, STRAW, and PLUSH HATS, and BONNETS	NEW SEASON'S APPLES. The NEWEST NOVELS. RED HEART RUM. SHOOTING BOOTS.	MONDAY, the 4th November, at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to GEO. R. STEVENS & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 26th October, 1878. [1769.
12. Paknam, British steamer, from Bangkok. 12. Batara B. Sree, British str., from Pataki. 12. Panay, Spanish steamer, from Manila. 12. Victoria, Spanish steamer, from Manila. 12. Victoria, Spanish steamer, from Manila. 13. Navy Drymer Rooms No. 50 Oursen's Roam.	OR 3 MONTHS, 2°/. PER ANNUM. OR 6 MONTHS, 4°/. PER ANNUM. OR 12 MONTHS, 5°/. PER ANNUM. Hongkong, 22nd October, 1 OR conducting general Exchange Busi- Bank Discounts Local Bills payable in FIRE Undersigned has re-	PARIS TRIMMED HATS and BONNETS FION. SPECIAL AGENTS for "THE LITTLE WANZER" SEWING MACHINE.	SPORTING GEAR of all descriptions. Hongkong, 18th October, 1878. [635] OSTON JACK & Co.,	ANTED Any one having a full Edition or odd numbers of the "CHINESE REPOSITORY" to dispose of will find a Purchaser by applying to K, care of U.S. Consul, Canton. State Price and Particulars.
12. Bangkok, Siamese str., from Bangkok. 12. R. Brocke, Samuak str., from Muntok. 12. Rainbow, British steamer, from Maincea. 12. Lyttleton, British steamer, from Bombay. 13. Gwalior, British steamer, from Bombay. 14. Central, over the Medical Hall. Hongkong, 24th September, 1878. 15. Central, over the Medical Hall. Hongkong, 24th September, 1878. Present for ap	Rate of Discount 5 / PER ANNUM. Soles Rooms, Queen's I to Sell by Public Auct the 29th October, 1878, ht 2 proved short sight 5 / PER ANNUM. HOUSEHOLD FURN	o'clock P.M., at his Cond, Sundry Great Care is used in this Department, which	SHIP COMPRADORES AND STEVEDORES, OPPOSITE CANTON STEAMER WHARF, Supply Shipping with every necessary, of the Best Quality, at Low Prices.	ANTED EDIFLOTMENT AS CLERK
13 Antenor, British stramer, from Liverpool A. Mr. ARTHUR CHART in our Firm Rates 13 C. of Santiago, British str., from Amoy. CEASED on the 31st December last. 13 Tambora, Dutch steamer, from Batavia. 13 Cheang H. Kian, Brit. str., from Amoy. Hongkong, 13th June, 1878. 16 m 1031	for Advances, according to the terms comprising Green Rep. covered may be ascertained on application. H. H. NELSON, STOOLS, TABLES, CUA Manager. Manager. Kong, 7th August, 1878: [11800] TABLE, SIDEBOARD,	top TABLES and MILLINERY BY ACCOMPLISHED HANDS. TRS, CHIMNEY NGS, DINING SAYLE AND CO.,	Hongkong, 12th September, 1878. [1533] CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED. ADJUSTMENT OF BONUS FOR THE YEAR 1877.	quired Address A. B. C., Duily Press Office. Hongkong, 22nd October, 1878. [1747] ONGKONG RACES, 1879.
14. Zeemeeuw, Dutch steamer, from Batavia. 14. Cleator, British steamer, from Labuan. 14. Benmore, British steamer, from Penang. 14. G. G. Loudoun, Dutch str. from Achiean. 14. S. Preket, Dutch bark from Rotterdam.	RTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUS- RTEALIA. AND CHINA AL E800,000 DRAWERS Marble top T E150,000 and WASHSTAND, &c., &c.	QUEEN'S ROAD AND STANLEY STREET, S, CHEST of OILET TABLE AND AT SHANGHAL	SHAREHOLDERS in the above COMPANY are requested to furnish the Undersigned with a List of their Contributions for the year ending 31st December last, in order that the pro-	of \$20 each, half forfait if declared on or before the date of closing Entries, with \$100 added for 1st Pony and \$50 for 2nd. For all China Ponies, bonf fide Griffins at date of Entry (25th Janu-
15, Emilie, German bark, from Cardiff. 15, Lanedowne, British bark, from London. 15, Arabia, British steamer, from Calcutta. 15, Speke Hall, British str., from Hongkong.	Bankors. THE BANK OF ENGLAND. THE CITY BANK. [ATIONAL BANK OF SCOTLAND. Hongkong 28rd October.]	ARMSTRONG. Anctioneer. SEA GULL."	portion of the Net Profits to be reserved for Contributors may be arranged. Returns not rendered prior to the Slat OCTOBER NEXT will be adjusted by the Company, and no claims	Pony 20 per cent, and Third Pony 10 per cent. Weight 10st. 7lb.; One Mile and a Half. Nominations close on SATURDAY, 21st Decem-
II, Japan, British steamer, for Malacca. II, Ruby, British steamer, for Palembang II, Whee L. Sing, British sch., for Bangkok. II, Galatea, German steamer for London. Hongkong, 24th October, 1878. II OLET. Places in the Control of Control of Control of Conduction of Conductio	on London and the Chief Commercial n Europe and the East; buys and re- for collection Bills of Exchange; and a all kinds of Banking and Exchange intends Visiting Am	TICE. Water Boat, and can be again adapted for the latter purpose at little expense. She has proved horself to be an excellent Soa Boat, and is well ov and FOOOHOW. found, her Engine and Boiler being in first-class	JAS. B. COUGHTRIE, Secretary. Houghong, 1st August, 1878. (3m1298) ONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE	By Order, M. W. SAUNDERS, Lieut. R.A., Clerk of the Course. Hongkeng, 11th October, 1878. [tf1705]
12, Evelyn, British bark, for London. 12, A. Merello, Italian bark, for Marseilles. 14, Cheang H. Kinn, British str., for Penang. 1550 ON CUB. 160 To LET.	Leaving Hongkong on Sept Solventer 1st. DEPOSITS. Hongkong 22nd August. HONGKONG 22nd August. HE S T A G THE DAILY BALANCE. Leaving Hongkong on Sept turning on November 1st. Hongkong 22nd August. HONGKONG 22nd August. GUEEN'S ROAD CENT	The Schooner The Schooner COERAN," 1878 HOTEL, 134 tons register, built at Singapore in 1864 RAL, HONGKONG, of Singapore Hardwood and Teak, with Iron	ADJUSTMENT OF BONUS FOR THE YEAR 1877 SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company are requested to furnish the Undersigned with	
II, Panay, Spanish steamer, for Manils. For further Particulars apply to II, Victoria, Spanish steamer, for Liverpool. For further Particulars apply to MEYER & Co.	ON FIXED DEPOSITS. ON FIXED DEPOSITS. ON SOME A SOURCE ASSOCIATION OF SOME OF CONDUCTED AS A FORM OF SOME OF CONTROL OF SOME	irst-class Hotel: Fastenings. She was thoroughly repaired and irst-class Hotel: metalled in April last, and is now in first-class dinner at Seven order. Best Quality only. For further Particulars apply to Billiard Tables.	LIST of their CONTRIBUTIONS for the year ending 31st December last, in order that the Distribution of Twenty per Cent. (20 %) of the Profits reserved for Contributors may be arranged. Returns not rendered prior to the 31st	Office. Hongkong. 21st September, 1878. [3m1485] OFFICE OF THE SHANGHAI STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.
VESSELS THAT HAVE ARRIVED IN EUROPE FROM PORTS IN CHINA, JAPAN, AND MANILA. MANILA. GODOWNS, STABLING, and STORAGE,	NOTICE. ORIENTAL WELLINGTON STREET Undersigned, having this day PUR STOCKHAUSEN HASED the STOCK-IN-TRADE, PROPERTY	AUT ROSE, FOR SALE.	OCTOBER NEXT will be adjusted by the Company, and no claims or alterations will be subsequently admitted: JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.	IN LIQUIDATION. A SIXTH RETURN of CAPITAL at the rate of Two Taels per Share will be made to Share- bolders of Record on the 11th October, payable
Martha Jackson Manila July 27 Apply to Falcon Hongkong July 28 SHARP, TOLLER, AND JOHNSON, CHINA Ionian Hongkong July 28 Suprems Court House. Hankow (s) Hankow July 28 Suprems Court House. Foreglow Ave. 4 Hongkong 26th February 1878 [26] VICTOR	DEBTS, and GOOD WILL of the TIFFIN at UNE. DINNER of DISPENSARY higherto carried on Wines, Spirits, &c., of the W. Ball, will CONDUCT and CARRY English, French, and Carried BUSINESS (in connection with the BILLIARDROOMS—BO	Best Quality only. feet Beam, 6 feet Dopth of Hold, 5 feet WLINGALLEYS. Draft of Water. Compound High Pressure Engines. Speed 8 miles per hour.	R. BRIGHT'S PHOSPHODYNE	at the Office of the Liquidators on MON, DAY, the 21st October. WARRANTS will then be delivered by the Undersigned to Shareholders, or their lawful Representatives, on presentation of Share CER-
Lombardian Yokohama Aug. 4 Edeline Swatow Aug. 6 Arryle (s.) Hankow Aug. 7 Hankow Aug. 7 Hong	WM. CRUICKSHANK. kong, 31st August, 1878. [tfli89] NGKONG WHARF & GODOWNS. CAUTIO	feet Beam, 6 feet Depth of Hold, 5 feet Drat of Water. High Pressure Double Cylinder En gines. Speed 5 miles per hour. ONE STEAM LAUNCH, 60 feet long, 9 fee	prietors of Dr. Bright's Phosphodyne that a worthless imitation, bearing a similar name, it exported to India, Chips, &c., and endeavoured to be foisted on nurchasers as equal in efficacy to	The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 11th to the 21st Oc- tober inclusive. By Order, RUSSELL & Co.,
Hopefull Shanghai Aug. 11 Glenfruin Manila Aug. 11 Hongkong 22nd October, 1878. Flm1748 Egyria (a.) Foochow Aug. 12 State of Alabama (a.) Foochow Aug. 13 Hongkong 22nd October, 1878. Flm1748 COO State of Alabama (a.) Foochow Aug. 13 Hongkong 22nd October, 1878. Flm1748 COO CHEAP	STORAGE. IMITATIONS of our FL have recently been imported that Bublic against caution that Public against RATES, in First-class Godowns, under that does not bear the name are supervision; and VESSELS DIS- man on the label. Each both	ORIDA WATER 9 in Draft of Water. High Pressure Single to Hongkong, we Cylinder Engine. Speed 8 miles per hour. PURCHASING any For further Particulars apply at WEST POINT MURRAY and LAR FOUNDEY, late P. & O. Factory. tle of the GENUINE Hongkong, 30th September, 1878.	the public to specially caution them against this compound and request their most careful attention to the following distinctive characteristics of Dr. Bright's (the only genuine) Phosphodyna	Shanghai, 9th October, 1878. [1m1718] OTICE TO MARINERS. No. 91
Menelaus (s.) China Ports Ang. 28 care of Daily Press Office. Viking (s.) Hankow Ang. 27 Hongkong, 2nd April. 1878. [tt568] Terms. Feronia (s.) Hankow Ang. 27 A FIRST-CHASS GRANITE GODOWN	with quick despatch which has the words "La New York" in Water Man Proprietors Messrs. MELCHERS & Agents for Sale of the Communications.	NMAN and KEMP, to the British Steamship Co. are our ONLY AMERICA." JENUINE FLORIDA of 563 tons Register and about 16,500 pical	1st.—That Dr. Bright's Phosphodyne is sold only in cases. 2nd.—The words "Dr. Bright's Phosphodyne are clearly blown in each bottle. 3rd.—The Registered Trade Mark and Signs ture of Patentee are printed on the labe	Wenchow District—Wenchow Harbour.
Polynesian Manila Sept. 2 Apply to Burmese Foochow Sept. 2 OLYPHANT & Co. Alice M. Minnett Hongkong Sept. 3 Hongkong, 1st March, 1877. [tf10 A Pt Achilles (s.) China Ports Sept. 5 TO LET. appears	TABLETS UBBLY VEGETABLE SWEETMEAT, both in No W O N ance and taste, furnishing a most agree Athor of administering the puly certain	Capacity. [Sm1416] For further Particulars, apply to BIRLEY & Co. Hongkong, 10th July, 1878.	of every case. 4th.—Directions for use in all the following languages are enclosed in each case.— English. French, German, Italian Dutch, Spanish, Portuguese, Russian	Notice is hereby given that a Bracon has been Exected on a small Pinnacle Rock called. "Shr. Shr." (Lion Rock), submerged 8 feet at "H. W. springer situated near the anchorage at
Oxfordshive (a) A Prochew Sent 7.4 1 1 To The Transfer of the Proches	for INTESTINAL or THERAD WORMS porfectly safe and mild preparation, and chially adapted for Children. Sold in by all Chemists. [36i 1520] Hongkong, February. 187	begs to announce to the Community of LARS. Hongkong that he will be able to supply Office. BEFFMUTTON. &c. from 1st October, and trusts that they may gran	Madrassee, Bengalee, Chinese, and Jupanese. WITHOUT WHICH NONE CAN POSSIBLY BE GENUINE.	Wenchow about 600 feet S.H. of the East end of the island known as the Chiang-Hsin-Ssu, which is in the middle of the river opposite the North Wall of the City. The Bracon consists of a Pole 15 inches in
VESSELS EXPECTED AT HONGKONG: (Corrected to Date). Manila:Aug. 12 HOUSK No. 3, Praya East. The whole House, or in Flats, with Possession on the 1st of Cont. November. As also,	REDUCED PRICE, \$1. aining the names of all the Articles of OHAS. HEIDSIECK'S objects of Natural History, Furniture. WEISS and Mandarin Pronun-	SHOP—WELLINGTON STREET, opposite the Cathedral. LACK." Hongkong, 19th September, 1878. [157]	LIVER COMPLAINTS and all FUNCTIONAL DE EANGEMENTS. Dr. Bright's Phosphodyne is patronised b	diameter painted BLACK and WHITE ALTER- NATE BANDS, on which is fixed a BALL 6 feet in diameter painted BLACK, with a horizontal WHITE BAND round the CENTRE. The Top of the Pole is 24 feet above H. W.
Napier Cardiff May 9 may be had in Apartments of Two or Three The Emily Chapman Cardiff June 11 Rooms to sailt convenience. Fing Spacious France Antwerp June 19 Verendah looking on the Harbour. Immediate	a few copies of the GRAMMAR or THE ESE LANGUAGE, in two Parts. Daily Press Office. NOTICE. CHATEAU LEOVILLE VIN DES PR. \$18. per case of PALMER MAI	POYFERRE 1869 INCES." I dozen guarts. CHAMPAGNE, 187 HEIDSTECK & Co.'s RGAUX. MONOPOLE.	the army and navy, and strongly recommende	By Order of the Inspector-General of Cus-
Melbrek London July 18 Sydenham London July 18 Violoria (s.) Liverpool July 19 Mary Mildred Newcastle July 20 TO LET	Tindersigned have been appointed by SS per case of Messrs. Picou. Wilks, and Laurenon, CHATRAU Bld., Gunpowder Manufacturers, of Dart S7 per case of in Battle, their AGENTS in Hond. LORMON	2 dozen pints. Hongkong, 2nd July, 1877. [112] I dozen quarts. J OHN SKINKER 115, PINE STREET	In India, China, &c., Dr. BRIGHT's Phos PHODYNE is generally sold at an advance on th	Imperial Maritime Customs, Engineers' Office, Shanghai. 20th September, 1878. [1724]
Abboy Cowpor Antwerp July 28 oupled by Mr. HEUERHANN. Sumarlide	MEYER & Co. 55 per case of gkong, 6th February, 1878. [1268 \$0 per case of SI Per	2 dozen pints. WINCHESTER REFEATING ARMS Co. (12) Repeating Rifles, Carbines, and Muskets, Model 1866 and 1873. Plain Mounted, or Gold, Silver	in this form. Therefore ask for Dr. BRIGHT PHOSPHODYNE, and do not be persuaded to tak any useless and possibly dangerous imitations. CAUTION TO MEDICINE VENDORS.	TO CONSIGNEES OF OPTIONAL CARGO, EX O. S. S. CO.'S S.S. "ANTENOR," FROM LIVERPOOL.
Alfredo Cardiff Aug. 7 Hongkong, 5th October, 1878. [11] Invincible Biode Janeiro Aug. 8 Urania Penarth Aug. 9 / TWO Excellent STONE-FLOORED GO- Correct Fooders Aug. 10 DOWNS or Marine Lat. No. 10 Prays Depot	AND IMPORTER OF R. E. N. C. H. G. O. O. D. S. COMMERCIAL JOURNAL f. Sec. &c. for Vicky Waters and Special Agent Published at the Office of in the Morning of the Morning	or CHINA, JAPAN, of all sizes and kinds for Pistols or Rifles of Hongkong Daily their make. [3m1647] I the Departure FILE CHUNG NGOI SAN P	The Trade Mark, Label, &c., of Dr. BRIGHT' PROSPHODENE are duly entered at Stationers I Hall, London, and are also registered in the chief cities of the world. Chemists and Ornggists are hereby warne that legal proceedings will, be immediately in	the Undersigned not later than SATUR- DAY, the 26th inst. for shipment per Steamer OBESTES. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.
Frederich Cardiff Aug. 16 Reina Mercedes Liverpool Aug. 27 Hongkoug. 2nd August, 1878. 1306 Flintshize (s.) Liverpool Sept. 6 Orestes (s.) Liverpool Sept. 12 Amazono (s.) Marsuilles Oct. 2	of the English themen's Best French Boots and Shoos. QUEEN'S ROAD, HONGKONG. LATEST AND FUL INTELLIG JAPAN GAZETTE REPORTS OF ME	Chinese Daily Press), CEST TRADE PUBLISHED DAILY, ENCE, Is the best medium for Advertising among the Native Community.	atituted by the Authorised Agents, against an person or persons selling Fraudulent Imitation of Dr. Bright's (the only gengine) Phosphonyr, from this date, 1st October, 1878. [172]	OOEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. CONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer ANTENOR
Poiho (s.) L	YOROHAMA COMPAN AVING been appointed AGENT in Hong. THE LATEST T KONG and SOUTH CHINA for the Japan together with Japan Gazette Summary, and POLITICAL AND GE	Tt has been established upwards of Twent Years, and enjoys the largest bond fide circumstance. It is carefully edited by an experience NERAL NEWS Chinese Scholar, and contains Pum and Ru	ters and others that he has a number of Powerful STEAM LAUNCHES available to	sre hereby notified that the Cargo is being dis- charged into Creft, "I landed at the Godowns of the Undersigned in both cases it will lie at Consignees risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Creft or Godown on and after the 23rd October, 1878.
and Dr. Williams Orthography. A.T. M.A.C.A.O. In Paper Wrapper	of the Fort tisements for that Paper will be received. The Trade Report he Softee. In Hongkong the Ports the Philippines, Straits Set Hongkong, 28rd May, 1877. [809] Hongkong, 3rd October.	Tarms for Advertising can be obtained at the China and Japan, Office, Wyndham Street, Hongkong, or from the different Agents. Hongkong, 18th January, 1877.	boots as well as for Expursions. SING LEE, No. 37 Tang Man Lane, Hongkong, 26th August, 1878.	Goods undelivered after the 28th October, 1878, will be subject to Rent. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 23rd October, 1878. [1737

NOTICE.

WATSONAND FAMILY AND DISPENSING CHEMISTS. By Appointment to His Excellency the Go. VERNOR and his Royal Highness the DUKE OF EDINBURGH. WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DRUGGISTS

PERFUMERS. PATENT MEDICINE VENDORS DEUGGISTS' SUNDEYMEN,

AERATEDS WATER MAKERS.

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Firm, A. S. WATSON and Co., or HONGKONG DISPENSARY.

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Correspondents are requested to forward their name and address with communications addressed to the Editor, not for publication, but as evidence of good

On the 24th instant, at the West Point Police Station the wife of Inspector Cameron, of a daughter. [1787

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HONGKONG, OCTOBER 26rn, 1878...

Mr. Bernros's promised gift to the Colony of a statue of Lord Beaconspield, which we briefly announced on Saturday, is as well timed and appropriate as it is munificent. For such a tribute, it would have been difficult to choose a happier moment than the present, when our great Conservative Premier is at the very summit of his successes and popularity, and when all parts of the Empire are vieing in cagerness to do him or the Prince of WALES, but having regard to the proud and prominent position now occupied by Lord BEACONSFIELD, who not England has ever had, but is the first of Mr. graceful that his choice should have fallen MONTAGUE COBRY, LORD BEACONSFIELD'S Private Secretary, with the object of inducing the Premier to assist in the choice of the from the fact that the Colony of Hongkong

There will probably be some little difficulty in procuring a good site for the statue. It should occupy a conspicuous position near the principal thoroughfare. Unfortunately Queen's Road affords few facilities, as it is nowhere too wide and the vehicular and foot traffic along it is very considerable. The best site would be just inside the railings of the only a few square feet, and, if placed close lieve, therefore, the Military Authorities would raise no objection to the Beaconsfield statue being erected on so admirable a site. The only other good alternative proposal is that it should stand in front of the Theatre wing of the City Hall; but this is open to some objection as the space is needed there for the throng of chairs when the building is used by the public. The small plot of unbecupied land beneath Beaconsfield Lodge has been mentioned, but that is about to built upon, and consequently is out of the question. If the Military Authorities will only be accommodating, the Parade Ground unquestionably affords the best and most commanding site.

its approval of Lord Beaconspield's policy.

It is possible that Mr. Belilios's loyal was dull for want of support by the chorns insolvent estate, did unlawfully Shanghai Bank. These sums have long since been. The Attorney-General-It has always been example may be infectious and prompt some other wealthy resident or residents to sub- in the Angelus. Miss May received constant for your own use and benefit with intent thereby scribe for a statue of Her Majesty the QUEEN. The Colony was founded in Victoria's reign, and it is meet and right that her statue should Stanley was overweighted in the character of instructed by the Crown Solicitor (Mr.E. Sharp), time the prisoner, who seems to have had the of evidence; if you can show the jury the fact occupy some prominent place in it. The features of the Queen and the Prime Minister she has specially delighted to honour would then be made familiar to the Chinese population and some interest possibly awakened in them about the ruler of the mighty empire of which this tiny island forms a part.

GOLDEN FOOT is very sick, report intimates sick unto death. - Should the kingly monopolist sucoumb to the disease which has attacked him, the question will arise whether that portion of Burmah which owns his sway shall continue independent or be incorporated into British Burmah. Nothing but a disjudination to add to its already enormous territory has induced the Anglo-Indian Government to tolerate the misrulo of Golden Foot, and it is a most point for Golden Foot, and it is a most point for Golden whether it will be expedient for British lowed "Of fairy wand had I the power," and it is a most point recovered to produce to the power, and the duet with Martana which followed "Of fairy wand had I the power," interests and for the well-being of the which was loudly applanded. Mr. Phillips ren-Burmese to allow another prince the same opportunity to oppress them. The relations between the Indian Government the sudience; but although he has improved, there ceive and have in his possession and was on of it was paid, and there and the King of Brissian have mover been satisfactory, and the old monarch has always shown a want of friendly fheling towards the statement of the commission which form money of the commission which form and money to the commission which form money of the commission which form and money to the commission which form and money to the commission which form money of the commission which form and money to the form the commission which form and money to the commission which form and the changes that might follow says:—Object to the commission which form and the changes that might follow says:—Object to the commission which form and the changes that might follow says:—Object to the commission which form and the changes that the commission which form the commission and the King of Busman have never been lately waited on the Secretary for India of the Secretary for India usigned the exploration of the route from urging the exploration of the route from China with the view of introducing with the view of introducing with this usual shifty, and his rendering of the control of the Chinese element into our tea gardens, where their services would be much appress where their services would be much appress where their services would be much appress that in the Chinese element into our tea gardens, where their services would be much appress that in the Chinese element into our tea gardens, where their services would be much appress that in the Chinese element into our tea gardens, where their services would be much appress that in the Chinese element into our tea gardens, where their services would be much appress that in the Chinese element into our tea gardens, where their services would be much appress that in the Chinese element into our tea gardens, where the rection relating to trustees, it is only out the chinese of the model over the beginese of the animal team of the could saily give at the count of the coun

known industry would soon bring the country under cultivation, and as pointed ou CO, lately by a Rangoon correspondent in The Times, the tendency of the Chinese there is to intermarry with the Burmese and settle in the country, their offspring becoming thoroughly Burmese, or rather British Burmese and legal subjects. So there would not be the same danger as experienced either in California or Australia Pegu, Arakan, Cachar, and Assam, are al crying out for population. This is the speediest, if not the only, way in which the want can be effectively supplied, combined with railways through our own districts, and there is unoccupied land for any number of Chinese labourers in these provinces." For

our part, we see no reason for alarm in the of prospect of our territory becoming conter-Orders it is particularly requested that all minous with that of China. Not only would business communications be addressed to the Chinese labour be attracted to Burmah and Assam, where it is, as shown by our Cal-[17] cutta contemporary, so much needed, but we should be able to open a direct trade with Yunnan and the Western provinces of the Central Kingdom, which would one day be of enormous importance. Burmah is not actually incorporated with our Indian Empire on the death of the reigning monarch we trust it will be taken under British protection in order to prevent the possibility of complications in the future, and to promote the development of the

> The "Commercial Intelligence" of this day will be found on the fourth page.

resources of the country.

We understand that a most important despatch clating to the Blockade Question has been forwarded by the Colonial Secretary to Mr. E. George, the Secretary of the Chamber of Com. merce, and we trust the Chamber will lose no time in acquainting the public with its purport.

Tirtoff, will leave here to-morrow morning for with him. the Baltic, vici the Suez Canal Her destination is Cronstadt, where she will be paid off and put out of commission. The Haydamack has been on this station five years with the same complement of officers and men for the whole period.

An American visiting Hongkong volunteers' the suggestion of applying two light jinrikisha wheels to our chairs and shortening the poles, thus honour. The first impulses of loyalty might combining the good qualities of both vehicles. suggest to any of us, and doubtless did sug- could move the occupant on the wheels at a gest to Mr. Belilios, a statue of the Queen, rapid pace—and where steps or steen grades occur it would become a chair again. Will some one make the experiment?

The adjourned inquest was held at the Magisonly is one of the greatest statesmen that tracy yesterday before Mr. C. V. Creagh, coroner, the Queen in this Colony, and entrusted, by virand a jury composed of Mesers. O. E. Page, W. the of such employment, with the receipt and him Official Assignee. There was also a special that until he can show you that that prima facis received a letter on the 17th August dated the Mr. J. A. Carvalho, cashier in the Treasury H. Percival, and J. A. Barrette, on the body of a custody of money, did by virtue of said employ appointment with regard to this bankruptcy of case is not a correct one, it would be your duty same day. To the best of my belief it was after said he had charge of the money paid in by the Belillios's race that ever attained the post Chinese male named Wong Ashing, who was ment and whilst you were so employed as afore. of Premier, it is certainly most fitting and supposed to have died through poisoning. Af- said, receive and have in your possession and ter hearing the evidence of two Chinese drug were entrusted with certain money, to wit to the Gozette there were several persons who had return to this Colony to inspect the books and in Macao would do him a great deal of good and Co., amounting altogether to \$33,247.50. gists, who pronounced that the contents of the the amount of \$50,000, and the said money then been adjudicated bankrupt beside Messrs. Lyall, so forth, and, as I say, he had a perfect right to and he was therefore going over.) I produce The two last payments were made by the Official as it has done. We understand that His pot which was found near the deceased was fraudulently did apply to your own use and Still and Co,, and the prisoner, as I am instructed, reserve his defence before the magistrate. Al. a summons purporting to have been executed by Assignee. The first order for payment out was poison, the jury returned a verdict of death benefit; and so the Attorney General doth charge took charge of all of those estates. With regard though he went to Magazine lated 11th December, 1867, for \$13,005.

Medhurst's article in the Nineteenth Century on 17th day of August, 1878. statue. Mr. Berrigos is certainly entitled the Chiness as colonists says that it adds little 2.—That you, the said Frederick Sowley Huf- all under the seal of the court, and by one of the character, but, so far as I am instructed, up to see both marked cashbook, but one is a ledger. Supreme Court. or nothing to the general knowledge of the sub- fam, then being official assignee of certain estates sections of the Bankruptcy Ordinance are made | the present time no defence has been put forward | The ledger contains the accounts in several bankespecially as his gift has the greater value ject. Indeed, the writer seems to have had no in bankruptcy, and as such official assignes evidence without further proof. It would ap in any way whatever. The presumption of law, supt setates. personal experience whatever of the Chinese in trustee of certain property, that is to say of cer pear that in the estate of Lyall, Still and Co., as I take it arising from his conduct amounts Mr. Francis objected that only one bankruptoy The witness said the next payment was mad the countries where their presence occasions the tain moneys, to wit to the amount of \$50,000 for a petition was filed originally by two of the to this that with regard to the estate of Lyall, had as yet been proved and the evidence must be on the 5th February, 1868, to Mr. Huffam, and has us yet taken no public steps to indicate greatest difficulty—namely, America and Aus. a certain public purpose, that is to say for the partners in the firm. For some reason or other, Still and Co. at all events he must have misap confined to it. tralia and where the objection to receive them purpose (amongst other things) of distributing however, that appears not to have been considered propriated the money, and the only question. The Attorney-General said he could put in the payments made at various times to Mr. Huffam, in large numbers is continually growing. That the same amongst the creditors of such estates sufficient and a deed was executed for the thereforewill be a question of law, as towhether he therefore will be a question of law, as towhether he the the mass of the Chinese in China itself are well- respectively, did malawfully and wilfully convert benefit of the creditors, and upon that Messra, comes within the section of the relation, the did not charge the prisoner with having received balance of \$1,157.50.

Lardine, Matheson & Co. filed a petition, the det regard to the first count, my lord, he is charged the money as official assignee but as a public. By Mr. Francis—For each of those payments believe, and the imputations cast upon the lower own use and benefit with intent thereby then to being alearly an act of bankruptcy, and the fil. with being a public servant. There no doubt officer. class who emigrate are often unfounded. But defroud, at Victoria aforesaid on the 17th day of ling of the petition being also probably an act of has been considerable difference of opinion as to Mr. Francis said the preliminary question re- Chief Justice or a warrant of the Governor. when Sir Walter Medhurst argues that the August, 1878. Chinamen have as much right to go to Australia 3.—That you, the said Frederick Sowley was made. The accounts kept by the prisoner not. There is no decided case that I can find was a public officer. or to settle in the Western States of America as Huffam, then being the official assignee of the will show the amounts received by him for affecting it in one way or another, and therefore His Lordship ruled that the evidence was in this second. For this particular estate there Europeans have, he raises a very large and difficult insolvent estate of Lyall, Still, and others, there-the various estates in bankruptcy and the ba- I presume if the objection is taken that the admissible. cult question. Prima facie, the people who dwell to fore carrying on business in this Colony under landes that are at present outstanding, prisoner does not come within that, your within that, your within that, your within that, your within that are at present outstanding, prisoner does not come within that, your within that are at present outstanding. in a country own it, and so long as they can do the style or firm of Mesers. Lyall, Still & Co., These, of course, would come under the first Lordship will probably reserve that for argu. Mr. Huffam's handwriting. Page 29 of the connected with the Court not being revenue into so they have a right to keep others out if they and as such official assigned then being trustee of count. With regard to the other counts, ment on a future occasion instead of taking up ledger Parade Ground, facing Queen's Road. The please. Englishmen, we take it, would not look certain property that is to say of certain moneys, which charge him as Official Assignee of Messrs. the time of the jury now, when perhaps These books were found in the press or safe in have been paid in monthly. The official assignee statue with the railings round would occupy very kindly upon the importation of some 20,000 to wit to the amount of \$46,849.79 for the benefit Lyall, Still, and Co., there can be no doubt this the matter could be sottled in a better way the office. I was appointed Official Assigned in since 1855, has never rendered any account of or 30,000 Chinamen at the present moment to of the oreditors of the said itselvent estate, did un estate required a considerable amount of time for before the full court. The arguments which this estate. The appointment is dated the 29th his receipts and payments as official assignee work in the coal mines here. Whether we were lawfully and wilfully convert and appropriate the the management and collection of the assets. would be used are shortly these, that although it August to the road, need not interfere in any way right or wrong in forcing our trade upon China said property to and for your own use and hencit The debts were exceptionally large, the amount must be admitted Mr. Huffam, as an officer of The Attorney General asked if there were exceptionally large, the amount must be admitted Mr. Huffam, as an officer of The Attorney General asked if there were exceptionally large, the amount must be admitted Mr. Huffam, as an officer of the amount must be admitted Mr. Huffa would not, we may be very sure, affect the mat- with intent thereby then to defraud, at Victoria being over \$4,000,000 and the assets were some- the court, was a public servant within the meaning, instructions filed in the Registrar's Office with ter one way or the other. So likewise Americans | aforesaid on the 17th day of August. 1878. and Australians are practically deciding that they will not have Chinamen brought into com- Huffam, then being the official assignes of the petition with them in their own country. And inselvent estate of Lyall and others, theretofore

> "MARITANA" AT THE THEATRE ROYAL.

theory is very apt to go to the wall."

produced Wallace's "Maritana," before a toler. Viotoria aforesaid on the 17th day of August, the amounts, and paid into the Treasury the way in which he disposed of these amounts, that these were public moneys; also that the circulars which have been put in related only to ably well-filled house. The opera was well 1878. dressed, but the cherus was most inefficient, that body being represented at the rise of the our. tain by three voices with neither tone nor volume. on husiness in this Colony under the style or firm it appears to have been placed in the banks. A Miss May's figure and face are just suited to of Messrs Lyali, Still & Co., and as such official sum of \$17,000 was paid on fixed deposit into the appointment is undoubtedly in the Governor. the character of Maritana, and she sang well assigned then being trusted of certain property, Oriental Bank, a sum of \$25,000 into the Hongthroughout the opera, but some of her heat music which was not; this was particularly noticeable convert and appropriate the said property to and applause, particularly marked for the recitative Lazarillo, and scarcely infused sufficient spright prosecuted; and Mr. Emncis, instructed by Mr. solo management of the estate, was employed in there might be a case under that section. liness into the part, but she received encourage. Dennye, appeared for the defence. The jurous getting in the accounts and making payments. The Attorney-General-What I am prepared plause for the opening song in the second act. tomley, A. McG. Heaton, W. H. Forbes, J. A. what the balance would be that he could these moneys in virtue of such appointment. "Alas! those chimes so sweetly stealing." It dos Remedios, and J. B. Coughtrie. was a great disappointment for the audience to The Attorney General, in opening the case, made out by the prisoner himself showed there

find Mr. Vornon in such poor voice, which was said-May it please your Lordship gentlemen of were a good many lawsuits, in England as the next count, that of course includes all the voice totally unfitting him for singing; he improved slightly by foreing his voice in "Yes, let
me like a soldier fall," but only to relapse
employed in the public service of Her Majesty
when, in the same act, the ballad "There is a

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feel justified in giving up the point without an
it was about time a dividend should be declared, and some
to the public service of Her Majesty

It was about time a dividend should be declared, and some
in this Colony, or being a constable or other

No dividend was, however, declared, and some
to the prisoner and. flower that bloometh came on. Mr. Vernon's person employed in the Police Force, and few months ago, about the commencement of this are balances that ought to be in his possession. Mr. Plunket, continuing his evidence, proved shortly afterwards a dividend meeting was ad-Don Cosar, so far as his style of singing and his entrusted by virtue of such employment with the year, I believe the creditors began to press, including Lyall, Still & Co.'s balance, amount the files in the other estates. acting were concerned was very good indeed, as receipt, custody, management, or control of any The accounts for the latter end of the term ing to \$56,830.18. Out of that \$56,830.18. Out of the he made every point and his conception of the chattel, money, or valuable security which shall show the following condition -On the 24th were in the Gazette until the 3rd July. character was perfect, but this did not make up be intrusted to or received or taken into posses. October, 1871, Mr. Huffam placed on fixed des over \$50,000: According to his own accounts, the Government as official assignee, but the set I was not present at the mosting. From what for his being out of voice. Mr. H. Phillips (Don sion by him by virtue of his employment, or any posit in the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank which will be produced before you that is the large of the Registrar has been raised from £800 I heard of what passed at the meeting I went to Jose), is improving, and on this occasion be had part thereof, or in any manner frondulently ap \$25,000. On the 6th March 1872, he had in hand state of the belance sheet, and accordingly he is to £1,000 as compensation I understand for see the prisoner at his office on the 8th August a good stage presence. What we said of his ply or dispose of the same or any part thereof in addition \$6,960. On that date, the 6th March, charged on the first count with embezzling the the fees being done away with I receive no I said to him, Mr. Huffam, is not this the day voice upon the occasion of his first appearance to his own use or benefit, or for any purpose 1872, in order to make a payment to Messrs. sum of \$50,000 and on the second with missap fees. All commissions in bankruptcy go to the the cheques for Lyall, Still and Co.'s dividend has received further confirmation by his render. Whatsoever except for the public service, shall be Sharp and Toller in respect to a claim amount. That has been so since I have were to be given? He replied. No, the 19th. dition of the balled "In happy moments," of such employment, with the receipt and one that he receipt and count of this estate, nor have I had a copy and the covatine "This heart by woe c'ertaken," tody of money, did by virtue of said employment as the hands of sind whilst he was so employed as aforesaid remains abound that I am aware of which employer. I lebert we get a judgment against the Official is still much room for improvement, notably in trusted with certain money, to wit to the amount regard to the fourth count of the still much room for improvement, notably in trusted with certain money, to wit to the amount of the still much room for improvement, notably in trusted with certain money, to wit to the amount of the still much room for improvement, notably in trusted with certain money, to wit to the amount of the still much room for improvement, notably in trusted with certain money, to wit to the amount of the still much room for improvement, notably in trusted with certain money, to wit to the amount of the still much room for improvement, notably in trusted with certain money, to wit to the amount of the still much room for improvement and getting rid of a stiffness of gait and a greater of \$50,000, and the said money then fraudulently That being the state of things at that time as Bharp and returned. The amount paid to Mr. account of the commission which formerly went applying to the prisoner for the balance he said

mount exaggerated.

raising several thousand troops, which force in. creased daily. A number of robbers joined, and these unruly followers have plundered several towns they have passed. This element of his army is likely to prove his weak point ultimately, as their depredations will set all those possessed of property against him. Meanwhile the insurgents are spreading consternation throughout | section U, the Registrar of the Supremo Court Kwang-si and Kwang-tung. Li is now reported by the Cantonese to be at the head of 100,000 men. He is at present on the frontiers of Tonquin, where it is expected he will be reinforced by the border outlaws, who number several thousand | Let a seat be provided; and are during desperadoes whose trade is rapine and pillage. Rumour in Conton has it that the next move of the revolutionary force will be in with despatches have lately acrived in Canton. but the nature of their contents has not leaked feared if the rebels come the city will be riven over to pillage, and that the hests of rebbers always hovering in its neighbourhood will join The Russian corvette Haydamack, Captain the insurgents. Li Yung-choi has his family

SUPREME COURT

October 25th. CRIMINAL SESSIONS.

BEFORE THE ACTING CHIEF JUSTICE HON. F. SNOWDEN, AND A SPECIAL JURY.

THE CHARGE AGAINST THE OFFICIAL Frederick Sowley Huffam, Deputy Registra of the Supreme Court, was arraigned on the

following indictment:

4.—That you; the said Frederick Sowley when force is on one side and theory on the other, carrying on business in this Colony under the such official assignee then being trustee of cer- necessarily require some time in winding up such appointments, and that he would be ret be had dealt with public moneys. wit to the amount of \$20,400 for the benefit of on the 27th December, 1867, and he appears to Court for the performance of his duties; orders were first. the oreditors of the said insolvent estate did mi. have proceeded notively in the first instance, that though the moneys which came into The orders were produced. lawfully and wilfully convert and appropriate judging from the accounts, in getting in the his hands came in only for the distribution of

> then to defraud, at Vitoria aforesaid on the 17th day of August, 1878.

ing from a cold which produced a huskiness of you have heard read. On the first count he is ever, after waiting for some time, the creditors blic purpose and the whole amount is included. The Attorney General said he would hardly although we threatened to upply to the court

Last month, under the pretence that he had re- information of the parties. They all, as I con- of dividend to which they were entitled. Mr.

The Attorney-General-These sums are inoluded in the \$16,000. Now the facts, which are no doubt extremely painful from the position of the party charged, are simply as follow :-is made the Official Assigned. so good as to allow the prisoner to have a sent as probably the proceedings will be very long. His Lordship - Yes; I see no objection to that,

information.

Mr. Alexander was then the Registrar of the was Deputy Registrar.

Prisoner -Clerk of the Court.

fam then being the official assignee of the insolvent the exception of \$1,157.57, which is there now, not perform his duties. estate of Lyall and others, theretofore carrying After the money was drawn out of the Treasury

Some inther particulars have come to hand third count is framed upon the same section then applied to Mr. Sharp for it, and it was tention to the evidence, although it to Macao. I have not since made any forms of this rising confirmatory of those we have all of the Ordinates, but it does not charge that handed back to him on account of Lyall, Still does involve some question of accounts; and demand on him to hand over to me the money and Co. a satata deducting a certain amount figures, and that transaction has reference of it in regard to amount and so forth and in reconstant of the limited to the estate and that count is limited to the estate of to the effect it may have on the prisoner's that on the 6th January, 1871, an amount of George Lyall and others. It le-"That he time the prisoner had declared his readiness future career. You will give it that attention it \$12,000 was deposited by Mr. Huffam as assign o Itappears that Li Yong phoi, was lately Acting then being the official assignce of the insolvent to call a meeting of the creditors and at the same time you will put away in the estate of Lyall, Still and Co. On October Brigadler General in Sin Chow for the capital of carrying on business in this Colony, under the was put in the papers calling a meeting of the thought previously to coming into court, and give same name. The first deposit was repaid on July Rwang-at a large a d populous city, and he was style or firm of Mesers. Lyall, Still & Co., and creditors in order that a dividend might be the evidence placed before you your unbiased 11th, 1871, with interest \$240; of the second an expectant Major General. On the expiration, as such official assignee then being trustee of declared. The meeting was subsequently ad attention without fear, favour, or affection, either amount \$5,000 was repaid on March 7th, 1872, a short time back, of his term of office as certain experty, that is to say of certain moneys; journed for a few days. The prisoner at the bar. We with interest \$55.71, and the balance of \$20,000. Acting Brigadier General, Li Yung that was attentions with fall of us must feel that it is a very melancholy on April 27th, 1872, with \$400 interest. There fit of the creditors of the said insolvent estate, regard to Lyall, Still & Co.'s estate, which will thing to see the prisoner in the position he is after have been no other deposits made in that the post and at the same time applied for further did unlawfully and wilfully convert and approbe produced before you, in his own handwriting, the position he has occupied for a large number estate. I produce a choque of Sharp, Toller, official employment, expecting, no doubt, to be printe the said property to and for his own use and they showed a balance of \$46,849,79, that was, of years. At the same time it is unnecessary to and Johnson's in favour of F.S. Huffam, for made Major General. His application, for some and bought with intent thereby then to defraud." this sum of \$33,500, which I have already brought remind you that that can have no effect on your \$4,891.16, payable to order. It is entensed by reason or other, seems not to have been enter. The next two counts are exactly similar to the to your attention, together with five amounts of verdict. You will take the case as if it were Mr. Huffam and was cashed on the same day third, with this exception, that the amounts \$2,000 which he oredited for interest and some that of any ordinary individual with whom you It is drawn by Mossre. Sharp, Toller, and John tained, and exasperated at what he considered a charged to have been misappropriated are smounting were perfectly unacquainted and give your very son on their private account, slight he has turned rebel. Possessed of a very In the fourth count the amount is \$20,400, and altogether to \$46,848.79. A dividend was declared dict according to the facts that will be hid By Mr. Francis—The entries in the book are large property, he lest little time in realising its in the fifth count it is \$1.831.16 that he is of 3.57 per cent. and a list was made out in Mr. before you both by myself and my learned not in my landwriting. I have no knowledge value in money, in order to carry out his schemes, charged with having misappropriated. These two Huffam's bandwriting giving the friend. counts, I may state, were put in more for the creditors their cities in dollars, and the amount Hon. C. B. Plunket, Registrar of the Court, book and the vonchers.

> meeting took place on the 3rd July this year His Lordship -Are these sums included in The account, of course, was read overhurriedly. Still, and George Francis McLean. They traded and the prisoner was pressed, as I am instructed, soner as official assignee in bankrupt estates. Under the Bankruptcy Ordinance No. 5 of 1864, repeatedly for a settlement. Several excuses Mr. Francis submitted the Gasette alone was appear section U. the Registrar of the Supreme Court were made, that he had not time to copy the not evidence of the appointment of the prisoner, date. accounts, and so forth, and it was put off until as the Ordinance which made it evidence for Mr. Francis-Porhaps your Lordship will be it was found that exchange was going down certain purposes did not make it evidence for Oriental Bank, said that on the 1st April, 1871, rapidly, and the parties representing creditors this purpose, at home were envious to get the dividend at | Some little discussion took place on this point, of Lyall, Still, and Co. It was withdrawn in once. The prisoner then appointed a day, about and finally his Lordship said if Mr. Francis one sum on the 21st October, 1871, with 8255 the 9th or 10th August, and promised that on really wished him to take a note of the objection interest. That was the only deposit. Pay-The Attorney-General-Under Ordinance 5 that day he would give the cheques and copies he would do so.

of 1864, section 6, it is provided that the Regis. of accounts to the different parties con the Francis II your Lordship pleases. trar of the Supreme Court shall be the Official corned. On that day headld not attend at | The witness also produced the manuscript ap and Co. On the 28th May 1868, 835, 18 was paid, Assignee, and the Registrar was therefore the office, but it was reported that he was the in all cases up to the passing of a subsequent Letters were written to him by some of the part the estate of Lyall, Still, and Co. Ordinance ex-officio assignee of bankrupts ties begging him to settle the matter and he put estates. In 1867, however, an Ordinance was it off and put it off. On Saturday, the 17th Australia in the Government with Mr. Huffam for the estate of Lyull, Still passed, being 15 of 1867, which recites that gust, the creditors, who had then become sus. Gazette that the Ordinance only empowered the and Co. out. Great alarm prevails in Canton, as it is Whereas circumstances occasionally arise which pictous, were about to take such appointments in bank. Mr. H. E. Wodehouse, chief clerk in the render it inexpedient that the Registrar of the Asummons was obtained from the Bankruptov ruptoles arising after the passing of the Ordin-Colonial Secretary's Office, said-I am not aware Supreme Court should be the Official Assignee Court for the purpose of bringing the prisoner to as provided by section 6 of the Bankruptcy account. It was sent to be served upon him and there was streamy an Official Assignee. Ordinance, 1864, it shall be lawful for the Covernor it was found he had just previously gone to whenever he shall doom it expedient to nominate Macao. He obtained no leave absence either and appoint some person other than the Rogistrar from the Governor or the Court. The summons

of the Supreme Court to be the Official Assignee | was sent after him to Macao on the Monof the estate and effects of such bankrupt.". That day and served upon him, but he did not return. of the estate and effects of such bankrupt." That day and served upon him, but he did not return. Mr. Plunket, continuing his evidence, pro- the subject.

Ordinance was passed on the 5th December, 1867. Certain correspondence took place between the duced the Government Gusette of the 25th May, By Mr. Francis—It is customary for persons Governor of this Colony and the Governor of 1878, containing a notice of meeting of the cre- in the civil service to go to Macao from Saturday Supreme Court and as such would ordinarily Macao and finally a police constable who had ditors of Lyall, Still & Co., and of 29th June, to Monday without asking special leave. There have been the Official Assignee. Mr. Huffam been sent over with a warrant found him on containing notice of adjourned meeting. Two is a Colonial Office regulation requiring persons board the steamer, where he had been put by the | meetings were held, and I heard that a dividend entrusted with the custody of public money to Portuguese authorities. He was then brought was declared. I produce on account in Mr. give security. I believe Mr. Huffam has not The Attorney-General-Mr. Huffam was Clerk back to this colony. These are the facts of Huffam's handwriting which I found in Mr. given security as official assignee. of the Court, and had been for some time in the the case. Up to the present moment no Haffam's dispatch box, being the account our- The Attorney-General said he would submit public service and was very much respected. He explanation whatever has been given. The rent in the estate of Lyall, Still and Co., that that would amount to nothing, the proposiwas Acting Deputy Registrar no the time, as I prisoner has, as he has a right to do, reserved his and a paper showing the amount of dividend due | tion that because a public officer was required to

to \$3,000.938.93, and they were creditors to the that position. The arguments in support would solvent or other estates ! On Thursday evening the Opera Company the said property to and for your own use and assets of the estate and settling the cloims the smounts among the oreditors he was also evidence on the ground that the orders referred these proceedings.

Thursday evening the Opera Company benefit, with interest thereby then to defraud, at against it. Up to May, 1868, he received responsible to this Court and the Executive for only to public moneys, and it had yet to be shown. By the Attorne \$31,000 odd, but the whole of that amount was he was appointed by the Governor and be was order was addressed only to heads of departments revenue or unclaimed balances. I cannot say 5.—Thatyou, the said Frederick Sowley Huf- gubsequently drawn out of the Treasury with liable to be dismissed by the Governor if he did

His Lordship - I very much doubt that. The Attorney General Well, the power of His Lordship And the moment he was apthat is to say of certain moneys, to wit to the kong and Shanghai Bank and a further sum of pointed he became an officer of the Bankruptey

withdrawn and there is no money that we know considered, as a general rule, that where a person of at present ledged anywhere. They were with has the power of appointment that same person, number, were produced. drawn within six months after their being paid has the power of dismissal, but if your Lordship introduction to the third act and "Scenes that day of August, 1878.

in, and what has been done with them since we doubts it, I need not take up the time now: he the are brightest" which followed it. Miss Clara The Attorney General (Hon. G. Phillippo); really don't know Natorally for some little. His Lordship—It seems to me to be a question; money

The Attorney Coneral Then with regard to from rates.

was the first witness called. He said As coived instructions to collect soldiers and take tend, come within the third count, and any Huffam at the Supreme Court I am Official must be struck out as it appeared he knew the offensive against Annalia, he succeeded in proof of the misappropriation of the \$20,000 or cheques should be made out immediately and Assignce in Bankruptor. I produce the file in nothing about the matter. 84,000, would support the third count of the given to the parties entitled to them. This the estate of Lyall, Still, and Co. The bankrupts' names were George Lyall, Charles Frederick if it was read over at all, but copies were promised under the style of Lyall, Still, and Co. (File to be given to the solicitors for the various par, put in as evidence of the proper adjudication of ties concerned. After that several inquiries the bankruptcy). I produce the Golernment were made as to when the dividends were to be paid. Guzette containing the appointment of the pri-

ance not in bankruptoies then existing in which Mr. Huffam applied for leave in August Inst. His Lordship noted the objection.

appointment to be in the handwriting of Sir on the 17th August. I am aware a correspond-Richard Graves McDonnell

am informed, and it was considered he would be defence. For aught I know to the contrary, it to each creditor, also in Mr. Huffam's handwriting, give security and did not give security he was a fit and proper person to take charge of insolvent is possible he may have a defence on the merits and found in the same place. On Friday the not a public officer. estates, more especially of this estate of Lyall, of this case that will completely exculpate him, 16th August the prisoner was not at the office. Still, and Co. He was accordingly appointed but until that is brought before you I shall sub. He had been absent for about a week. I did not who had not been called upon to give security 1.—That you, Frederick Sowley Huffam, being and in the Government Gazette of the 28th Decem- init that under the circumstaces, especially with Freceive any communication from him during that until very lately. then employed in the public service of our Lady ber, 1867, shortly after the Ordinance passed, regard to this matter of Lyall, Still and Co., time. He was then Deputy Registrar of the there is a Government notification appointing that there is a primx facie case against him, and Supreme Court as well as Official Assignee. I

Lyall, Still and Co., dated 29th December, 1867. to convict him of fraudulent misappropriation at | two o'clock when I received it. (The letter stated | Supreme Court. He produced receipts for money At the time of the notification that came out in least. He has had every opportunity since his that Dr. O'Brien had told prisoner a few days paid in on account of the estate of Lyall. Still through taking vegebable polson self-adminis. you, the said Frederick Sowley Huffam, in manto the estate of Messra. Lyall, Still and Co., I give an explanation of that and he may be able to serve it upon Mr. Huffam. (Summons put in
the file of proceedings in the bankto show on the merits he is not guilty of the requiring the prisoner to appear before the Acting Lady the Queen feloniously did steal, take, and ruptcy, showing the condition on which the offence charged. Of course, if he is able to do that Chief Justice on Tuesday, 20th August, and to The Pall Mall Gazette, referring to Sir Walter carry away at Victoria in this Colony on the bankruptcy was declared, the not of bankruptcy. and all the proceedings in the case. These are | see him leave the dock without a stain on his in bankrupt estates.) I produce two books they \$13,005 received from the Registrar of the

where near \$150.000, and the real and personal of the act, yet that having been appointed Official regard to the custody or disposition of public estate of the bankrupts is put down as amounting Assignee under a special Ordinance he was not in moneys, or moneys, received in respect of inestate of a certain amount. There is no doubt it be that he is the Official Assignes under the Mr. Francis objected that it must first be deposit notes for \$33,131.85, and us official

was a very unusual bankruptcy, a very difficult. Ordinance, that he is appointed by the Governor, shown that the prisoner was a public officer to Trustee \$11,827.46, which with the cash in hand style or firm of Messrs. Lyall, Still & Co. and as one to manage requiring some tast and would who takes the place of Her Majesty in making whom such instructions could be given and that tain property, that is to say of certain moneys to The prisoner was appointed the Official Assignee sponsible both to the Government and the His Lordship said they must see what the Crown at the Police Court. The Crown was

Mr. Francis objected to their admissibility in nor did I give instructions to any one to initiat and that Mr. Huffam was not head of a depart. what has been the practice with respect to the The Attorney General said his contention estates: I have had no large bankruptcies. I

would be that these were public moneys and that the small bankruptoies I share had the money they ought to have been paid into the Treasury has been lodged in the Hongkong and Shangha or such banks as the Government directed. The orders were admitted subject to the ob, the office but I have not kept more than \$200 or The files of the other estates in which the Mr. W.W. Toller, solicitor, and member of

prisoner was Official Assignee, thirty-one in the firm of Sharp, Toller, and Johnson, said-His Lordship asked the Attorney-General if creditors of Lyell, Still and Co.'s estate, repre-

The Attorney-General said he should contend and several appeals to the Privy Council, so so. There was only one decided case on the that it was impossible for some years to say point, and that was the case of the trustee of a what belonged to the estate and what to partiment from the audience and a round of ap- were Messrs. W. Wilson, A. Gultzow, C. D. Bot. and it was impossible for some time to say to show is that he was appointed and received savings bank, and the impression of the court chief chie then appeared to be that to be public moneys the state in 1872 or 1873. After that we made fredistribute among the oreditors. The accounts His Lordship—Then I should rule he was not. office in which they were received should be free quent applications to prisoner to make up the ac-His Lordship said if he had to act upon his own to get him to do so before he went home. He distressingly apparent in that popular trio the jury, the prisoner at the bar stands charged well as here, and for some time of course the moneys he has received as Official Assignee, be- opinion he was quite prepared to do so, though of always made excuses. The excuses work not Turn on old time," Mr. Yernon was suffer. on the several counts in the information which creditors could not hope to get a ymoney. How cause it is charged they were received for a pu- course he would be ready to hear an argument. I satisfactory, but we did not take proceedings

property to said for his own use and benefit on envelope dontaining \$5,000. That money in Lyall, Still and Co.'s estate with intent thereby then to defraud. The was kept until Mr. Huffam returned. He kind I have no doubt you will give your patient at I never heard of it until shortly before he went

His Lordship But if we have the vouchers they will speak for themselves.

Mr. Francis-The vouchers are another mutter The vouchers were produced, and witness, in reply to Mr. Francis, said the sum of \$5,000 mentioned was paid to Mesers. Sharp, Tollor, and Johnson on the order of Mr. Huffam. The Attorney-General said these amounts all appeared in Mr. Huffan's accounts of the sam

Alexander Wemyss, assistant accountant at the \$17,000 was deposited by Mr. Hullam for the estate ments have been made by the Bank to Mr. Huffam on account of the estate of Lyall, Still, balance of an account due to the estate. Be Mr. Francis took the objection to this doou- | youd these the Bank has her no transactions

should have been aware of it. If in the ordinary course of business the application and pussed Mr. W. M. Degne proved the signature to the through the office. I heard he left the colony ence took place with the Governor of Macao on

His Lordship said there were a great many Mr. Francis said it might form a link in the

Mr. Francis said that was paid to Mr. The Attorney General said in Mr. Huffam's

accounts his Lordship would see an item of Mr. Francis said that would not make it evi-

was one of \$641. He gave the details of further bankruptcy, and upon that the adjudication whether the prisoner stands in that position or mained to be decided whether the official assignee There was an account called judicial deposits

Mr. Plunket, recalled said he had made up an account of the money he received from Mr. Hullam. As ! fficial Administrator be received thirty-seven accounts. I was a witness for the the prosecutor as I understood. I did not swear any information against Mr. Huffem

custody of large amounts paid in bankrupt Bank. When I arrived there was \$4,591 in \$300 and latterly not \$100. My firm has been acting for several of the

very large and there was a great deal of litigation

vessels advertised as loading.

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don't remember our doing so on any subsequent occasion. I think Mr. Huffam showed me his clients asking what amount of money there was en route to England. on deposit and in what banks. We got no written have been declared notwithstanding these two

letters, reserving sufficient to cover the utmost we could prove. By His Lordship I was in the Colony at the of R. S. Walker and Co. and Mr. Ruy, of the Chartered Bank, were appointed, and the official assignee was to be at liberty to confer with them. I know they were consulted with reference to the sale of some private property of G. F. McLean; They may have done other things that I don't know of, but I don't think they did very much. Mr. W. Wotton, solicitor, said-I represent Mr. Brereton, who issolicitor for certain creditors of the estate of Lyall, Still and Co., representating claims to the amount of \$900,000. No payment has been made by the Official Agsignee. Some time previously to the 9th May I had been pressing the prisoner to call a meeting. Hongkeng outrage at Shanghei. For some time he merely put me off, saying be was making up the accounts and as soon as things were in a condition he would advertise the nicoting. I wrote him a letter about the 9th May, and after this the mooting was advertised. I attended the meeting, which was held on the 3rd July. It was held in the Registrar', room. The account now in Court was produced. It is in Mr. Huffam's handwriting. Mr. Huffam had a bundle of papers or to-night we are encamped in bond fide Pondo rouchers at his side, but they were not opened territory. I must confess that we are all disappr gone into: It was not intended we should shock the account then, as we had requested to be farnished with copies. The item for interest struck me as peculiar, for the amount was the sume for each of four years instead of increasing with the increase of capital. A dividend was declared of a little over threeper cent. Mr. Huffam said it would be impossible to say precisely what the amount would be, but he was to make it up and send cheques and copies of the accounts. got no cheque. I expected it on the following day. tweate to the prisoner applying for the cheque and beceived the roply produced, dated 19th August, promising the dividend should be paid next morning. It was not paid the next morning., On Tuesday or Wednesday I came to the office to see him about the cheques and found he was no thera. I wrote to him at his house and received a reply inside an envelope which I did not keep. It was only a few words putting off the payment I afterwards received a letter from Mrs. Huffam. On the night of the 14th or morning of the 15th Angust I wrete asking him for a copy of the account. He replied (Letter produced, stating

in good where I went to see him at his request By Mr. Francis-Mr. Sharp and mysolf represented all the creditors at the meeting. The account we looked at was the one now produced. There was something said about some bills of costs still to be paid and settled. Mr. Plunket was pres nt at the meeting. Mr. Brereton represents eight oreditors. None of our clients are prosecuting in this case. The Court adjourned at this stage until ten o'clock this morning. There are still several witness to be examined for the Crown

of the account soon.). I had no further communi

cation with him. On the morning of the 17th J

knew he was at Ball's Court. In the afternoon

POLICE COURT

BEFORE MR. C. V. CREAGH.

Jerry, described as a shoeblack, was charged DISORDERLY CONDUCT.

arresting some of the men and the prisoner had the bride, several large barrels being consumed an iron bar with which he was striking at the during an afternoon's libation. It is made from lukong. Prosecutor seized the prisoner and Indian corn, mixed, the presence of the latter gave him into the custody of an Indian con- giving great strength to the beer, which, if kept FILTERS, TRAVELLING RUGS, &c., &c.

hatever to do with the row. hours at the scene of the offence. LARGENY OF MATCHES.

The charge was proved. for larceny this year,

His Worship now sentenced the prisoner to our brains; yet a native drinks from one to as BRANDIES, * ** ** and *** at \$61, \$71, \$9, six mouths' imprisonment with hard labour; and much as three gallons before his thirst is satisbe called upon to find security under rdinance their lips. 8, section 21, of 1858. SERIOUS CHARGE AGAINST A SHIP'S

Travers, cook on the said ship, with a gouge somewhat elevated above that where the men sat, doctor arrived; some inquiries were made about ceived; several men and women among the party some tea for the prisoner, who was sick in his speaking fairly good English. Among this berth, and I told the doctor that the prisoner motley gathering were Fingees, Galekas, Temhad drunk a great quentity of tes, and because bees in fact, representatives of nearly every COAL, WATER, BALLAST, FRESH of that the prisoner was angry with me. A little | tribe, those that are supposed to be foca as well later on I was in the prisoner's berth speaking to as those calling themselves our friends. Tho him about some paintings, when the chief officer | beer stood in large wooden buckets, which hold Of the Best Quality and at the Shortest Notice. passed and said, "Well, chips, how is it this mor- from five to seven gullons, and these were conning " to which the prisoner replied, "It is stantly replenished from the large barrels. The none of your business. You are not a doctor." dancing appeared to be of a somewhat mono- PERFUMERY. I said to him, "Well, you might give the chief | tonous character. The "dansenses" ranged officer a civil answer." The prisoner then stab- themselves in single file and advanced towards

Mr. E. E. Jeffrey, chief officer of the Herat, was called and fully corroborated the prosecutor's time two or three men armed with loaded guns 'evidence.

His Worship remanded the prisoner autil this day (Saturday) at noon.

CANTON.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT

body overboard, while the other seized the vice as the height of bliss. We bade them all "Good tim's daughter, who was in the boat, and threat day," thanked them for their hospitality, and tened her with doubt if she gave any alarm; cantered home to camp, congratulating cursolves The girl, however, reised a shrill outcry, and as on our good luck at having winessed so good a the miscreants were quable to silence her soreams specimen of a native festival. they threw her overboard. A guard boat, attracted by the outery, hastened to the spot; picked her out of the water, and gave chase and captured the murderers, who have been handed

King sharing the speil.

over to the Authorities.

SHANGHAL there ought to be about \$50,000 in hand, that was all. In 1874 we wrote on behalf of some on the 18th instant in the C. M. steamer Paulah

The French gupboat Lynz, Captain Fournier, answer, and I cannot say we got a verbal one, arrived here on the 17th instant from Cherbourg We never had any application to the court as to the investment of this money. We represent creditors whose claims amount to about three lacs of rapees. None of the creditors have instituted those proceedings, nor are we acting for them in them. The letter produced dated Decomber, 1873, is from my firm. The letter gave the prisoner notice that Henderson and Co., of Manchester, claimed to prove against the state of the Superior which has returned to Europe. The Six Pac learns that the Tangell Yamen have written to the provincial government recomber, 1873, is from my firm. The letter gave claimed to prove against the stipulated time during which the process of the prisoner notice that Henderson and Co., of main posted is drawing to a close, to see that the main posted is drawing to a close, to see that Manchester, claimed to prove against the estato.) frush copies are put up where the originals are By the Attorney General—A dividend might injured or deficed from the effects of weather or

The Shen pad of the 11th instant begs the Chinese authorities and the Municipality of Shoughai to take warning by the fate of Hong. kong, a British Colony policie by a strong force of Europeans, with electric telegraphs, alarm signals, and all the admirable machinery of foreign constabulary at command, but unable to foresee or prevent the daring robbery that has lately been perpetrated on the island. The com-munity of Shanghai is even more mixed than that of Hongkong, the tithing system is not enforced, and notive authority, as far as scrutiny is concerned, does not extend to the foreign nottlements, while foreign supervision is not of a rigid nature. It is to be hoped that the Chinese and foreign authorities between them will take timely precautions against a repetition of the

SOUTH AFRICA.

A correspondent of The Times writing on the banks of the Umaimoubri, under date July 22nd.

Since writing to you at Umtata we have advanced unwards of 70 miles on our journey, and pointed to find that the Loudo does not mesn fighting." The passage of this river was the DISPENSING CHEMIST & DRUGGIST, of the following Vessels during their stay in spot at which we have all been led to expect a warm reception, but here we are in an apparently peaceful atmosphere. Report says the Pondos have forsaken their kreals and "tracked" southwards, and our orders now are to advance as quickly as possible to Natal. Latest intelligence from the north is somewhat serious; Secocouni has encountered the 13th Regiment and inflicted some considerable damage. Colonel Rowlands, V.C. has been despatched in command of a column, and no doubt our arrival on the scene

of action is anxiously awaited. Our column is in strict accordance with the Formula of the again united although as yet Buller's Frontier Horse have not arrived, but are only a few days' march in rear of us. Major Elliott, the Government representative, is in treaty with Umquikele, SHIP AND FAMILY MEDICINE CHESTS and we expect on our arrival at Kokstadt at the end of this week to hear that matters have been satisfactorily arranged. Since crossing the Tina. about 18 miles from here, our line of march has been through the Amalaca country. The pass-1. N.B.—All business communications should be age of the Tina, Tsita, and Umzimonbri rivers prisoner was too unwell to be at office that day has proved a severe test to both horses and oxen. but would do his best to let witness have a copy and for the last three days the roads have been very heavy. The commissarint under Commissary-General Phillips has proved itself most TOORE & C c., elastic, and the health and spirits of the troops I heard a rumour going about. I next saw him

U that can be desired

resent at a "Caffre Beer Drinking" or "Beer Feast," a species of entertainment essentially peculiar to the natives of South Africa, and one to which allusion has been frequently made with reference to the outbreak of the late war, for it .U.T.L.E.R. PALMER'S was on the occasion of such a social gathering that a quarrel arese between the neighbouring tribes of Fingo and Galeka, and to this quarrel the immediate cause of the war is attributed. Thanks to a short march which brought us into camp by midday. I was enabled in company with two other officers to arrive upon the scene during the most interesting part of the afternoon's programme. Some days previous to a "Beer Fenst" invitations are sent to all the neighbouring kreaks, and on the day appointed men, women, and children, all dressed in their holiday costume; repair to the place of rendezvous. The chiefs appear wearing their ivory armlets, for which as much as one bullock is often paid; the women's skirts are profusely adorned with by P.C. 540 with being drank and incapable.— different coloured beads, in many cases most Fined five shillings; in default, three days' im- artistically arranged; fantastic necklaces of tiger or dag teeth encircle their copper-coloured

necks, while their faces on these occasions Lam Afong was charged with disorderly con- | are more thickly bedauted with red clay than onordinary days. The occasion of this feast was a Mr. A. F. Sampson said that that morning marriage, and, according to native oustoms, wed-early there was a fight between a number of ding fastivities extend over a period of three coolies apposite his house. They had pieces of days, on the first of which the beer drinking wood and iron-fighting with. A lukong was occurs. The beer is supplied by the parents of RUGS. CARPETS (BRUSSELS and TAPES. other men as they were being led away by the the country grown corn and mealies, a sort of sufficiently long, attains extraordinary alcoholic The prisoner in defence said that he had been strength. A native, endeavouring to explain the apprehended by a mistake. He had nothing manufacture of Caffre beer, assured me that no bottles had yet been made of Enflicit His Worship fined the prisoner \$10; in do- to contain this liquor for any time, and that he UTLER, PALMER & C fault, twenty-one days' imprisonment with hard | believed were bottles of new beer buried a hundred labour; and to be exposed in the stocks for six miles in the ground the inevitable explosion would CLARETS; at \$12, \$10, \$7, \$6, \$51, and \$41 PER upheave their earthly covering. That my informant's bollef was a strained one I am inclined SHERRIES, at \$101. S9, \$84, and \$81 PER Wong Asing was charged with stealing ten to allow, but on being pressed by a Caffre lady to boxes of matches from one Young Apong, licensed taste this beverage, my companions and I, of CHAMPAGNE, at \$13 PER CASE OF 2 DOZEN hawker No. 508, on the evening of the 24th inst. | course. complied with the polite request. A wine-The prisoner admitted a previous conviction satisfy our coloured hostess; but we all agreed that this small amount had a sensible effect on

on the expiration of his sentence to be taken be- | fled. Nor are the women behindhand, for I saw fore the sitting magistrate in order that he may the contents of huge cans visibly diminishing at It was about three c'clock on a sunny afternoon when we appeared upon the festive scene. The company, numbering unwards of 500, were seated Joseph Stephenson, carpenter on the British on the ground in the vicinity of the krasi belongship Herat, was charged with unlawfully and ing to the donor of the feast. The seres were maliciously cutting and wounding one George separated, the ladies occupying one large circle The prosecutor said-I am cook on the British while the girls and children were dancing some I. ship Herat. On Thursday morning when the 20 yards further off. We were most politely re-

bed me through the right arm, striking my cliest | the stage singing, or rather murmuring, a weird with the gouge produced. The wounds were corb of time, the older women running backwards dressed by Dr. Adams. By the prisoner I did see your face when you somewhat resembling the cackling of a hen. Arstruck me. The chief officer did not say to rived at the proper place, the girls faced the audiyou. "You --- swine, are you ready for your ence and their "steps" then seemed to liken a "slow mark time," accompanied by somewhat peculiar contortions of the body. In the mean-

executed a sort of war dance, at one moment cronching as if concealing themselves from an enemy, then running rapidly for a few yards discharging their weapons in the air amidst the cheers of the assembled crowd. Then another party of dancers appeared upon the scene. These we were informed belonged to another tribe than those already in possession of the stage, and 24th October. their approach seemed to be watched with no It is notified in a circular by His Excellency little emposity, while the matrons can about and the Governor that on the morning of the 4th caokled more excitedly than before. Joining proximo a ceremony will take place in the Man those already dancing. I counted now as many as Sou Temple in honour of the birthday of Her 70 performers, apparently of all ages between six Imperial Majesty the Empress Downger, first and, perhaps, 20. On inquiry we were told that wife of Hien Fung. Court dress will be worn the entertainment would terminate at about seven by the mandarine and officials in all departments. p.m., and the only wonder to us seems to be how A brutal and trugical murder was committed all the liquor was to be consumed without the on Monday night last in a sampan. Two rufflans entire company being intoticated. We asked to LIEBIC'S EXTRACT OF MEAT CO., LIMITED, had, it seems, got to know that the boatwoman be introduced to the chief or "head swell," but 52i] 43, MARK LANE, LONDON, ENGLAND. [712] had saved some money, and, in order to carry were told that he could not be found. I am out their diabolical purpose, engaged the boat to, sorry to say that some of the older ones at the take them across the river to Honam. When in convivial meetings prefer drinking indoors, the the middle of the river one villain attacked the heat of the fire producing more rapid'y that state. beatwoman, backed her to death, and threw the of intoxication which with many is looked upon

In the new edition of the dictionary of the French Academy according to the computation of a French contemporary, 300 words have been suppressed as absolute, and 2,200 new ones introduced. The new edition writes piege, siege, According to the latest news from the West collège for piège, siège, collège; consonance for Coast, dated Lagos, August 10th, the King of consennance; phlicie, rylome, instead of phthisie, Dahomey was still inclined to defy England, and rhythme. The grave accent is substituted for had positively refused to pay the idemnity. The what the printers call "dicercule," in poeme, European factories of Lagos are occasionally poeto. All the prefaces of previous editions, from being broken into and plundered by natives, the M. Villemain's of the year 1835 to M. de Stoy's of last year, are reprinted .- Academy.

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For Saigon.—To-morrow, the 27th instant, at: For Bangkak, Per Rajanattianuhar Monday, the 28th instant, at 3.30 P.M.A. For Straits Settlements.—On Monday, the 28th instant, at 330 P.M.

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for forwarding Correspondence to East Africa, St. Helens, and Ascension. Letters may also be forwarded to India by this Packet. The following will be the hours of CLOSING.

the Mails, &c. :-WEDNESDAY, 30th October. 5 P.M., Money Order Office closes. Post Office closes except the NIGHT Box. which remains: Thursday, 31st October,

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MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES. PACKET. The United States Mail Packet OCEANIC" will be despatched on FRIDAY, the 1st November, with Mails for Japan, San Francisco, and the United States, which will be closed as follows:--

11.15 A.M. Registry of Letters ceases. 11.30 A.M. Post Office closes, but Letters (except for Non-Union Countries) may be posted on board the Packet with Late Fee of 18 cents extra Postage, until the time of departure. Correspondence for Non-Union West Indies. (except the Bahamas and Hayti), Costa Rica, Honduras, Monte Video, New Granada, Paraguay, and Uruguay can no longer be sent by this route.

MAYLS BY THE TORRES STRAITS PACKET.

The Australian Contract Packet "BRIS-BANE" will be despatched from Hongkong on TUESDAY, the 5th November, with Mails for Singapore, Somerset, Cooktown, Cleveland Bay, Bowen, Keppel Bay, Brisbane, Sydney, Tasmania, New Zealand, and Melbourne. Correspondence cannot be registered after

The Mails will be closed at 11.30 A.M. Suplementary Mail on board with 18 cents late fee until time of departure. Correspondence for Southern and Wastern Australia can be sent by this route if desired, but as a general rule it is better to send it viû Galle.

POSTAL NOTIFICATION. Arrangements having been concluded for the establishment of a Money Order system between this Colony and the Straits Settlements, His Excellency Governor Pope Hennessy, C.M.G., is pleased to order (under Section XII of the Post Office Ordinance, 1876) that the issue of Money Orders on the Straits Settlements shall commence in this Colony from the 22nd instant, and that the rates of commission and exchange shall be those mentioned in the following notice.

By Command. J. M. PRICE, Acting Colonial Secretary. Colonial Secretary's Office Hongkong, 16th July, 1878.

With regard to the above, the following Information as to Money Orders is published for ceneral information:-

1.—Money Orders on the United Kingdom and the Straits Settlements are issued at Hongkong, Shanghai, and Yokohama. Shanghai and Through Hills of Lading issued for trans- Yokohama also issue on Hongkong and vice 2.—Small sums may be remitted between the

other Ports by means of Postage Stamps. 3.-Many Money Orders are supplied to residents at the smaller Ports in this way. An application for an order is filled up, and is en-Through Passage Tickets granted to England | closed with a stamped, directed, and unscaled en-Office. The application must be accompanied On through Passages to Europe, a REDUC. with the full amount (including commission) in Cheque, Postage Stamps, or other equivalent of lar Rates is GRANTED to OFFICERS of the cash, and a little margin should be left for variathe change, if any, by first opportunity, with a receipt for the letter, if it were to be registered, as it always should be. Care should be taken to send these applications in time, as the Money Order Offices close some hours before the de-

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7.—No Order can be paid till the Payee have signed it in the proper place. An Order can be transferred to another Office on payment of an additional commission. In case of loss of an order, necessity for stopping payment, or the like, application should be made to the nearest 8 .- If the Order he not presented within six months, an additional commission will be charged: if not within twelve months, the money will be forfeited. When the order is once paid no further claim can be entertained.

to any Bank.

9.—No Order can be paid until the advice relative to it has been received. POSTAL NOTIFICATION. Information having been received by His Excellency Governor Pope Hennessy, C.M.G., of the entry of Canada on the 1st instantiate the

General Postal Union, it is notified that from that date the postage to be charged on correspondence for Canada will be according to the rates in force for Union Countries generally, vis .:- Letter, per 1 oz., 12 Cents : or via Briu. disi only. 16 Cents. Registration, 8 Cents or via Brindini, 8 Cents: 'Newspapers and Prices' Current, 2 Cents; or via Brindisi, 4 Cents. Books and Patterns, per 2 oz., 4 Cents: or via Brindisi, 6 Cents. All correspondence for Canada is gent via San Francisco unless specially otherwise directed. By Command, J. M. PRICE, Acting Colonial Secretary

Hongkong, 3rd July, 1878. Many boxes of letters, are received at the Post

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Chan to travelling trader. Stockfish—50 bundles, at \$6.70, by Kwong Fook We to travelling trader. Anisced Star—10 bags, at \$9.70, by Kwong Anisced Star—10 bags, at \$9.70, by Kwong	Hong.	Bombay Feb. 13 Brit. str 749 Kwok Acheong Repairing Fantaisie Sept. 6 Cooper Brit. bk 686 Purdon & Co London Oct. 21 Johnson Brit. str 786 G. R. Stovens & Co P. Darwin Genorganshire Oct. 2 McEschen Brit. bk 456 Captain Nagasaki
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